



*"If it had not been for Skip after Laurie died, I truly do not think TMI would still be in existence and, if so, certainly not as the strong nonprofit corporation that it is today."*

- Virginia Colburn, former Chair of the TMI Board of Directors

## Kudos and a Fond Farewell

### Skip Atwater Retires After 25 Years

Anyone who's visited TMI or our website since 1988 has encountered Skip and his work. The contributions of F. Holmes "Skip" Atwater to The Monroe Institute are countless. Staff past and present and Dave Thomas, board of directors chairman, came together to reflect on Skip's tenure and to wish him well in his next era.



Tribute to Skip Atwater

## Overview

### The Tip of the Iceberg

Skip met Bob Monroe at Whistlefield Farm in 1977 and never looked back. The details are in his autobiography, [\*Captain of My Ship, Master of My Soul\*](#).



Whistlefield Farm

In 2002, reviewer Carol Taylor wrote of *Captain*, "Examples of personal belief and choice as guideposts and markers help to identify one man's 'exploration of reality through personal experience.' Beginning with a childhood 'filled with extraordinary spiritual experiences that led me to a military career as a

clairvoyant counterspy,' Atwater describes instances of spirit guidance throughout his lifetime and how 'everyday life is a mere reflection of spirit experienced as an intention to become aware of All That Is.'"

Shifting the focus to Skip's long service to TMI, here are some highlights -- the tip of the iceberg.

#### Professional Papers

#### Roles and Positions

- \* Brainmapping Project, developer, researcher, coordinator
- \* Program Director
- \* PREP monitor
- \* Remote viewing trainer
- \* Spatial Angle Modulation™ (SAM) creator
- \* International speaker
- \* Research Director
- \* Acting Executive Director
- \* President
- \* Member, Board of Directors
- \* Director of Technology

Paul Rademacher, former executive director, expresses perfectly our thoughts as we say good-bye to Skip Atwater, "with deepest appreciation for your exceptional service to The Monroe Institute, and for your unparalleled contributions to the advancement of global consciousness. Your curiosity, insight and love have touched us all."

[See entire article ...](#)

## Gems from TMI's Archives

TMI is fortunate to have a rich library of material produced by Skip, including hours of informative video. For a look into his personal past, the Bob Monroe connection, and a comprehensive overview of The Institute, we recommend you begin your viewing here -



Skip's Background and Intro to TM

[Then, visit THIS PAGE](#) to tap into further interview clips of history, insight, wisdom, and future possibilities, including -

#### [Skip on Bob](#)

Robert A. Monroe founder of The Monroe Institute history.

#### [What's Fear Got To Do With It?](#)

Fear as a limiting factor in our personal experiences.

#### [Neurophysiological Correlates](#)

Neurophysiological correlates of the changes in consciousness and subjective experiences.

#### [The Classic Out of Body Experience](#)

The nature of an out-of-body experience

#### [Am I Remote Viewing or having an OBE?](#)

Nonlocal perception using remote viewing or out-of-body exploration.

#### [Transitions in Consciousness](#)

Surviving beyond death. The survival of consciousness

#### [But What About Ghosts?](#)

The reality of ghosts and more

#### [Shared Reality With All That Is](#)

The meaning of multiple realities

#### [A Normal Life in an Extraordinary World](#)

What is normalcy in an amazing world?

#### [What is next for TMI?](#)

The evolution of human consciousness and The Monroe Institute.

## Say What?

### Colleagues Share Memories of Skip Atwater

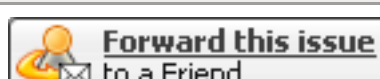
From TMI News. [See the entire article HERE](#).

...Often we would be embroiled in fascinating discussion on the nature of the universe, when he would suddenly look up and to the left, and become frozen, as if listening to voices from afar. Indeed he was. For he knew that our conversations were being attended by more than just the two of us and he took the care to listen to discarnate input in a way I had never seen before. He taught me that intuition is real and that it must be treated with the utmost care and respect.



Paul Rademacher

- Paul Rademacher, former Residential Trainer and Executive Director



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## Call to Meditation To Benefit Hurricane Sandy Survivors

Please join us, by whatever nonphysical method you prefer, in a group meditation for the victims of Hurricane Sandy, a storm that devastated the central Atlantic coast of the US last week.

We will meet for a few minutes at the crystal on the Nancy Penn Center campus.

**Friday, November 2nd  
12 Noon Eastern Time**



## TMI has begun it's End-of-Year Sale!



[Click here to begin your holiday shopping at 20% off.](#)

## Local Chapter Network:

*"volunteering our time to help you connect"*

[November LCN newsletter...](#)

Check out "Be Brave Be Happy" by Josh Langley

The [Local Chapter Network \(LCN\)](#) is a thriving, active volunteer organization committed to supporting TMI grads and introducing new people to TMI at the local level throughout the US. **LCN comprises 48 Chapters within 11 Regions -- and growing!**

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## HUB Highlights

**New on our blog:**

- [A Neurosurgeon's Journey to Heaven and Back](#)
- [Peter Russell on Science, Mind, and Consciousness](#)
- [Data that Lives Forever](#)

The Hub offers content we think people who are interested in TMI will be interested in. When you notice Hub-worthy items [please send a link](#).

THE HUB:  
*Adventures in Consciousness*

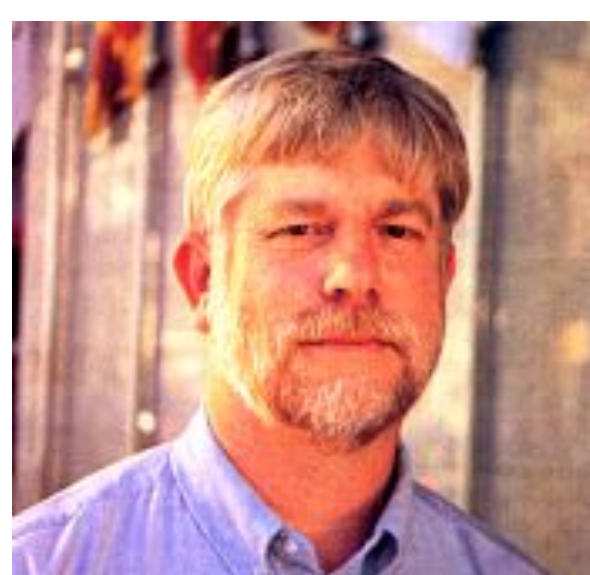


Carol de la Herran, Skip and Fay Atwater

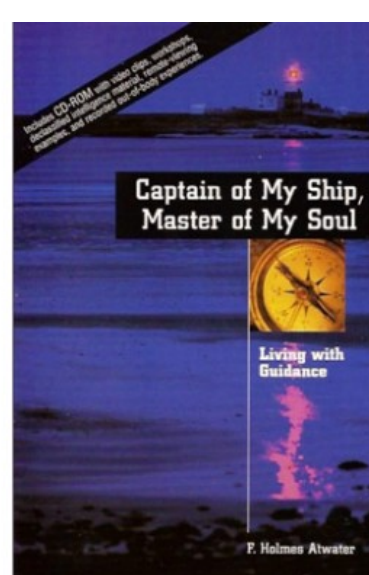
### Skip's retirement brunch on October 31st. The end of an era.

Fay's gifts to The Institute have been given quietly and often.

[See an article on the lovely gardens she created with the help of Ginna Colburn.](#)



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